

SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE.

SONOMA, MAY 21, 1887.

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HARTSON FOR ORATOR.

JUDGE CHANCELLOR HARTSON, of Napa, has been invited to deliver the oration on the Fourth of July and has accepted. The people of Sonoma Valley, among whom Judge Hartson has always been a great favorite, will be pleased to hear of his selection and acceptance.

A BOTOH.

We have before us the Sonoma county edition of the San Francisco Journal of Commerce. As a work of art it has evidently taken the united intellect of several very young men and will probably result in landing them in Napa Asylum on account of consumption of the brain.

We fear that Guy Grosse will not recognize himself, and poor Byington! Surely his portrait is sufficient grounds for an action for libel? The pictures are simply wondrous. "Sonoma Allegorical" consists of a butterfly suffering from convulsions, some pears stricken with epilepsy, some apples keenly alive to the effects of colic, a redwood stump and in the far distance either a blacksnake or a rattlesnake out for a very late afternoon stroll.

The scene in the redwoods is taken from a photograph of the Big Trees of Calaveras, altered only by blurring. The Ureline Seminary is distinctly outlined and we would heartily recommend the young men of the Journal of Commerce to attend there for a course of spelling and grammar.

We have searched the Great Register of the county and can find no James H. Drummond and can learn of no Malbecs being imported for \$5. We borrowed an English Army list from a friend and living near Sonoma and failed to find the 34th Cumberland Hussars. We wonder if the young gentlemen of the Journal of Commerce have not mixed up the Duke of Cumberland of Culloden-Moor infamy, with some vision of the last charge of the Black Brunswickers at Quatre Bras.

Altogether the Sonoma county edition of the Journal of Commerce cannot be called a success. On the contrary it is a piece of both work and those who have subscribed for copies have simply thrown their money away.

SAMUEL P. PUTNAM, the Liberal speaker and Secretary of the American Secular Union, who lectured in this place last month, in a letter to the Boston Investigator pays high tribute to Sonoma Valley. He describes it as being one of the richest sections in the State, and says: "The valley is lovely indeed in its mantle of green, its many groves, vineyards, fields of growing grain, running streams and encircling hills." Mr. Putnam but voices the sentiments of all travelers who have had the good fortune to visit our famous valley. In his letter the writer has also many kind things to say regarding a number of our people and does not forget to pay the INDEX-TRIBUNE a high compliment for which we very modestly doff our hat. In view of the immense circulation of the Investigator, Mr. Putnam's letter will be one of the best advertisements the valley has received for many a day.

The Flag of Healdsburg has hauled down its colors and surrendered to the Enterprise. The former paper has changed hands so often of late years that the printers in the office when they knocked off for the day were somewhat put out if not confronted with a brand new boss the next morning. The Enterprise, which, by the way is a very good paper, now has the field to itself, and ought to be well sustained by the Healdsburgers. But it won't. Too many of them prefer five-cent cigars and muddy beer to a good local newspaper.

The New York Labor Party is making arrangements for the Fall campaign.

THE EFFECTS OF THE LATE FROST.

THERE was much more damage done by the recent frosts than at first reported, but immediately around Sonoma and Glen Ellen the loss was merely nominal. Above Glen Ellen the injury was greatly exaggerated. At the Los Guillecos Jack Frost paid only a passing, friendly call, here and there leaving a touch of his visit on some few vines.

Farther up the valley we found Sam Hutchings a great sufferer and Mr. Bolle more so. The J. P. Clark estate of Santa Rosa, was utterly blighted and the Atterbury place looked as if a fire had passed through it. But we will stop here, for no words can convey the conception of the utter desolation that some vineyards represent. Acre after acre of well worked land, the very acme of cultivation, and the only showing of the vineyard appeared in rows of dull, dead, brown leaves, marking where a day or two before lines of green, flourishing, fruit-bearing vines had existed. The much bepraised Crabb's Black Burgundy fell at the first onslaught, wilted and withered away as if weary of life; the Zinfandel showed that its days were passed, the Burger followed its Hungarian friend and the Malbec and Gutedel both acknowledged their inability to stand stress of weather. From Napa Valley the accounts are melancholy. In other parts of the State the visitation of cold was more than serious, so that the looked-for result of over-production will not this year be felt. In fact already the wine market is firmer and prices are advancing; for though it may be denied, it is still a fact, that much of the wine left on the growers' hands from last year is "spoiled wine" and not fit for the market, though it is possible that it may be purchased by our manufacturers of "French Chabrets" and doctored up so as to delude a confiding public. Of sound good wine little remains and of that only highest classed wines—wines that cannot be bought for nothing, but from their high quality require a fair price, and a fair price is an objection to the sale of a good cellar, for it seems to be the flat of the San Francisco wine circle, with two notable exceptions, that the quality of wine must not be improved, but that the dealer must buy the poorest and cheapest wines to sell to the consumer at the highest possible prices.

PAPER FOR GOLD.

AN Associated Press dispatch from Washington says: "The Treasury Department has decided to make persistent and determined efforts to substitute paper currency circulation for the present coin circulation of the Pacific Slope and secure the return of gold coin to the Treasury as a means of strengthening its reserve, to save loss from abrasion and furnish a cheaper and more convenient currency. It has long been regarded as a desirable object to secure the return of this large gold circulation to the Treasury vaults. Pacific Coast Congressmen who have studied the situation say gold certificates would be accepted, but silver certificates would be rejected. It is conceded that silver certificates of large denominations would be rapidly returned to New York, but it is thought for the sake of convenience smaller denominations would certainly be retained in circulation, if the other forms of money are withheld. The department is disposed to give the experiment a fair trial. After July 1st the San Francisco Sub-Treasury will be supplied with a large stock of certificates and their issue will commence.

The danger from frost is less in our valley than in other counties, but this season we got more than our due share. It is well to watch carefully until the 21st or 22d of May, though we understand that some years ago frost fell on the 27th of that month.

On the occasion of the recent frosts one of our prominent vineyardists went out into his vineyard and found his vines blighted, black, burned from the freeze. "Oh H—!" was about to be uttered, when his hired man said: "No sir. Oh Sheel!" and then he read up the New Version.

SCATTERING SHOTS.

Melinite, the famous new explosive of France, is evidently debarring from use in warfare, as it appears to cause blood-poisoning. At the convention held in St. Petersburg on December 11, 1886, the use of weapons or explosives *qui aggraveraient inutilement les souffrances des hommes mis hors de combat, ou rendraient leur mort inevitable* were expressly forbidden, and again at Brussels, on August 27, 1874, France signed a declaration jointly with the Great Powers, which forbids the use of poison or poisoned weapons: "Sont notamment interdits; l'emploi du poison ou d'armes empoisonnees." Germany will probably have the question thoroughly inquired into.

Herr Krupp at Esser is casting a gun that will weigh about 140 tons when completed. Its length is 52½ feet and calibre 15.7 inches. One projectile weighs 1,630 pounds and the other, standing 5 ft. 2 in. high, 23½ pounds. The charge consists of over half a ton of powder. It is calculated that the heavier projectile will penetrate 48 inches of armor. When this gun is completed Krupp will commence another weighing 3000 cwt. and with a calibre of 17½ inches. The shell will be 6 ft. long and weigh about a ton and a half.

Recently, in India, General Luck tried the experiment of moving rapidly for long distances an entire brigade of cavalry and marched the 5th Bengal Cavalry and the Belooch Horse from Sibi to Jacobabad in 35 hours. The 5th went by the Bagh Bashi route, a distance of 123 miles, the Belooch Horse going via. Mull and Shahpore, 107 miles. The former regiment lost two horses and the latter one. The experiment was considered eminently satisfactory.

Analysing the Baking Powders. Under the direction of the New York State Board of Health, eighty-four different kinds of baking powders, embracing all the brands that could be found in the State, were submitted to examination and analysis by Prof. D. F. Chandler, a member of the State Board and President of the New York City Board of Health, assisted by Prof. Edward G. Love, the well-known United States Government chemist. The official report shows that a large number of the powders examined were found to contain alum or lime, many of them to such an extent as to render them seriously objectionable for use in the preparation of human food.

Alum was found in twenty-nine samples. This drug is used in baking powders to cheapen their cost. The presence of lime is attributed to the impure cream of tartar of commerce used in their manufacture. Such cream of tartar was also analyzed, and found to contain lime and other impurities; in some samples to the extent of 93 per cent. of their entire weight. All the baking powders of the market with the single exception of "Royal" (not including the alum and phosphate powders, which were long since discarded as unsafe or inefficient by prudent housekeepers) are made from the impure cream of tartar of commerce, and consequently contain lime to a corresponding extent.

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J. Karter, do	D. Beatty, do
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W. C. Chapman, do	Wm. McCrindle, do

MARRIED.

ANTHONY-DYK—In Sonoma, Sunday, May 15, 1887, at the residence of the bride's parents, Edward A. Anthony of San Francisco to Ella B. Dyk of Sonoma. The happy couple left on the afternoon train by special car for San Francisco, which will be their future home.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. Estate of F. Albert Pauli, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, Executor of the last will and testament of the said F. Albert Pauli, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executor, at the residence of said Executor in the town of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, Cal., the same being her place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

EMILIE PAULI, Executor of the last will and testament of F. Albert Pauli, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, April 18th, 1887. A. B. WALKER, Attorney for Estate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. ESTATE OF CHRISTINE VON HOLLEN, Deceased. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, Administrator of the Estate of CHRISTINE VON HOLLEN, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator, at his place of residence, west of the Plaza in the town of Sonoma, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

JOHN TITEN, Public Administrator, Administrator of the Estate of Christine Von Hollen, deceased. Dated at Sonoma, May 5, 1887. may 5 1887

LAND NOTICE. I AND OFFICE AT SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., May 9th, 1887. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at San Francisco on WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16, 1887, viz: Henry N. Kruger, H. N. No. 3232 for the Lot 4 of sec. 15 and 16 of N. E. 1/4 and S. W. 1/4 of N. E. 1/4 of sec. 14, T. 2 N., R. 6 W., M. D. M. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: William B. Quinn, Charles S. Wilson, William B. Reed and Frank B. Waller, all of Sonoma P. O., Sonoma Co., Cal. A. C. BRADFORD, Register.

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SONOMA, MAY 21, 1887.

CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

Hereafter obituaries, funeral notices, notices of respect, etc., will be charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

LOCAL SERVICES.

The best of accommodations at the Union Hotel.

Go to the Occidental Hotel if you want good accommodations.

The Occidental Hotel is fast becoming a popular resort.

For sale cheap—One good, new milch cow. A. Drabms, Sonoma.

The traveling public praise the Occidental Hotel, R. D. Moore, proprietor.

Kykendall's Photograph Gallery will remain but one week longer in Sonoma.

Jas. McDonnell, Jr. is engaged in taking the school census for this district.

Mrs. K. Keogh returned to her home in San Francisco on Tuesday last, after a pleasant visit to her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Granie.

If you want your picture taken you had better be lively about it, as Kykendall's Gallery will remove from Sonoma in one week.

Thursday, being the Feast of the Savior's Ascension, was observed as a holiday of obligation in St. Francis' Church.

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The Petaluma Commercial College will declare a vacation early in June, to continue until the first week in November next.

R. Orthers, storekeeper of the U. S. Bonded Warehouse at this place, is lying very ill and little hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Mr. J. M. Cheney has bought out the draying business of J. H. Sackett. Mr. Cheney is an energetic business man and we bespeak for him success in his new business.

The stock, safe and fixtures belonging to the late firm of A. F. Pauli & Co., were sold at Sheriff's sale, Wednesday, for \$700. The purchasers were San Francisco parties.

The peach and apple crop in Sonoma Valley will be extraordinary this year. There will also be a heavy yield of plums, nectarines and all other fruits except cherries, which are reported very short.

Water-pipes have been laid down in the Plaza the present week. The pipes connect with the Sonoma Valley road tank, from which a plentiful supply of water can be obtained to irrigate the young trees.

There will be an election of School Trustees on Saturday, June 4th. Two Trustees will be elected, one to fill the place made vacant by the death of Dr. Pauli, and the other in place of G. W. Clark, term expired.

The stock of saddlery and harness and also the building belonging to Schmidt, the saddler, were sold at Constable's sale last Thursday. The building was knocked down to F. Clewe for \$50. The stock became the property of E. Heydt, his bid being \$30.

The Sonoma Brass Band, composed of fifteen pieces, has greatly improved in the past few months. Once every week the band meets at Weyl's Hall for practice which shows a determination on the part of its members to make it second to none in the State. To-day it stands unrivalled by any interior brass band.

A horse hitched to a go-cart and tied in front of the Union Hotel, was cut loose by some miscreant last Sunday evening. The horse ran several miles and was found next morning on the Santa Rosa road entangled in the harness and the cart wrecked. We understand the author of this contemptible outrage is known and if evidence can be obtained sufficient to convict he will be arrested.

The Agua Caliente Springs have become one of the most popular resorts on this coast. The property has been much improved during the past year and the swimming baths are being greatly enlarged and will be open for the accommodation of the public after the 15th inst. The hotel is already beginning to fill up with guests and there is every prospect of a very busy season.

Frank Gailfove, who stole a calf from Mr. Chart, near this place, several weeks ago, and was held to answer before the Superior Court at Santa Rosa by Justice Small on a charge of grand larceny, has been set at liberty. It was shown that he was the only support of an aged mother. The sympathy of the jury prevailed and Judge Rutledge discharged the young culprit on motion of the District Attorney.

A horse attached to a go-cart and tied to a tree near the steep banks of Sonoma Creek, on the Harvey picnic grounds Saturday, became restive and backed the vehicle over the bank, the weight of which dragged the animal after it. The rope, being a stout one, did not part and some time after the luckless equine was found hanging to the tree with the go-cart dangling behind. The horse, which was almost choked to death, was cut down and, notwithstanding his adventure was as good a nag as ever in a short time.

MECHANICS' FAIR EXHIBIT.

An Enthusiastic Meeting at Agua Caliente.

On Wednesday afternoon last representatives from every school district in Sonoma, Glen Ellen and Los Guillicos Valleys met in the parlors of the Agua Caliente Hotel to perfect an organization for an independent exhibit of the above localities at the Mechanics' Fair in San Francisco in September.

The following gentlemen were present: J. H. Drummond, Robt. Poppe, S. H. Shaw, M. K. Cady, H. E. Boyes, Geo. W. Hooper, W. H. Hilton, R. L. West, Thos. S. Glaister, G. C. P. Sears, Thos. S. Cooper, Arthur Macarney, L. B. Lawrence and H. H. Granie.

The meeting was called to order by Capt. J. H. Drummond, Special Commissioner for the districts represented, who stated the object of the meeting. S. H. Shaw was then called to the Chair and Robt. Poppe elected Secretary.

The following resolutions were then introduced and adopted:

Resolved, That an exhibit of the products of Sonoma, Glen Ellen and Los Guillicos Valleys be made at the forthcoming Mechanics' Fair in San Francisco and that Capt. J. H. Drummond, Special Commissioner for the three townships named, be and he is hereby authorized to take charge of and make all arrangements for such exhibit.

Resolved, That a permanent organization be effected for the purpose of making such exhibit to be known as the "Committee on Mechanics' Fair Exhibit, 1887," such organization to be composed of the representatives of each of the school-districts named in an article in the INDEX-TRIBUNE of May 14, 1887, entitled "The Mechanics' Fair Exhibit," and that the officers of such organization consist of a Chairman, Vice Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary.

After the above resolutions had been read and adopted the following were elected officers: Chairman, J. H. Drummond; Vice Chairman, S. H. Shaw; Treasurer, H. E. Boyes; Secretary, Robt. Poppe.

No further business coming up the meeting then adjourned to meet at the Agua Caliente Hotel next Saturday at 3 p. m.

The meeting was a success in every particular, great enthusiasm being manifested in the matter. The amount so far subscribed toward defraying the expenses of the exhibit is \$275.

Dastardly Outrage.

Last Sunday evening the Rev. Mr. King's buggy, which had been left standing in the lot adjoining the Methodist Church while the pastor was holding services within, was tampered with by some contemptible wretch and one of the wheel nuts removed. The result was Mr. King in returning home was precipitated from his buggy by one of the wheels coming off. He fell heavily to the ground, but providentially escaped serious injury. That any one in this community is so low and debased as to be guilty of such an act is to be deplored, particularly when it is almost impossible to ferret out and arrest such contemptible wretches, as their acts are done under cover of darkness.

Marvelous Escape.

John Ellis and a young lady friend had a narrow escape from serious injury at the Sabbath School picnic held at Harvey's Grove near this place last Saturday. They were seated in a go-cart and in an attempt to drive down an almost perpendicular bank alongside Sonoma Creek, the vehicle was capsized and the occupants thrown out, the go-cart falling upon and pinning them, together with the horse, to the ground. Their position was a perilous one for a few seconds, but witnesses to the accident rushed to the rescue, freed the struggling animal and raising the cart released the young people, who fortunately escaped without injury.

Knocked Insensible.

J. B. Badger of Agua Caliente was knocked insensible by a block and tackle striking him on the head, while engaged in erecting fencing on his place last Wednesday afternoon. He regained consciousness, however, in a few minutes, but was so seriously injured that he had to be carried home, where now lies quite ill from the effects of the injury. Mr. Badger is an old pioneer and Mexican War Veteran and has many friends all over the State, who will be pained to hear of the accident.

An Old Landmark Gone.

F. Duhring has caused to be pulled down this week the old, moss-covered fence in front of his Napa street property. This fence has stood the storms of many winters, having been erected, well, the Lord only knows when and by whom. However, it is known to have been standing at least forty years. Next pickets and moulding will take its place and in consequence that part of town will be much improved in appearance.

No other preparation so meets the wants of a debilitated system as Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Glen Ellen Notes.

The meetings of the Band of Holiness are still in progress and largely attended.

Mrs. K. F. Warfield is whitewashing and otherwise improving her fences, outhouses, etc.

Geo. Lewis and J. H. Glenn of Santa Rosa, with their families, enjoyed a picnic near town last Sunday.

The Glen Ellen baseball club have purchased the necessary material and are now practicing regularly.

The frosts have done but little damage in this vicinity, reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

P. G. Theirkoff has plowed up the ground in front of his restaurant prior to sowing it out in blue grass and clover.

Dr. Spongie went to San Francisco last week and has not yet returned.

Mr. O. Steinbach is building a new fence and making other substantial improvements on his place on the Santa Rosa road.

OLD TIMES.

Job Printing.

We wish to call the attention of the people of Sonoma and Glen Ellen to the fact that next week we will receive from the East a large lot of new type and printing inks. We will then be prepared to do job printing as cheap and in as good style as can be done anywhere. We trust our readers will bear this in mind and give a home institution the preference when they desire any printing done. We will make a specialty of letter heads, bill heads, statements, wine contracts, wine labels, visiting and business cards, lodge printing of every description and poster work. All we ask is to bring your printing to your home office and if our prices are not reasonable take it elsewhere.

Basket Picnic.

A basket picnic was given by J. W. Wright at Clark's Grove last Saturday. There about forty people present. The day was passed in dancing, playing games, singing and eating, the good things being furnished by the ladies. Everybody was happy and wished the day was longer. Mr. Wright took eight couples to the picnic with his four-in-hand, and in behalf of those I take the liberty of thanking him for the good time we had. H. L. L.

Sentenced to One Year.

(Santa Rosa Democrat.)

A man answering to the name of John Neville was arrested by Marshal Blume of Petaluma, last Tuesday morning, for burglarizing Anderson's saloon in that city the preceding night. One dollar and a half, a revolver, a box or two of cigars and some liquor were all that was missed. Neville was detected by a marked quarter of a dollar piece which was paid for his night's lodging. He was examined by Justice Whallen and held to appear before the Superior Court on charge of burglary. Marshal Blume brought him to this city Friday and he entered a plea of guilty before Judge Rutledge, and waiving time, was sentenced to one year in San Quentin.

Ah Pong, a Chinese, was arrested by Constable Vallejo, Thursday, for stealing a pistol from W. A. Tan, the Chinese merchant of this place. The case was called in Justice Small's Court yesterday and postponed for one week.

John—"Good afternoon sir."

His friend—"Who are you sir? You seem to know me."

John—"I do, but you don't seem to your old tin, lank friend as you once called me."

His friend—"Great goodness! how came you to fatten up and look so happy?"

John—"Oh, I have been stopping at the Union Hotel for some time and you can see the result."

His friend—"Good for the Union Hotel."

Too Successful.

(Santa Rosa Democrat.)

A gentlemanly and well-bearing man arrived in Petaluma a few days ago and registering as H. C. Patter, devoted himself to victimizing the hospitable citizens of that town. He represented himself as owning large cattle ranches in Texas and possessing a bank account \$18,000 in the Anglo-California Bank of San Francisco. Lacking none of the accessories necessary in carrying out such a scheme he succeeded beyond his own expectation, but committing a blunder, was detected and is now waiting examination on two or three charges of obtaining money under false pretences.

Astounding Success.

It is the duty of every person who has used BOEHR'S GERMAN SYRUP to let its wonderful qualities be known to their friends in curing Consumption, severe Coughs, Croup, Asthma, Pneumonia, and in fact all throat and lung diseases. No person can use it without immediate relief. Three doses will relieve any case, and we consider the duty of all Druggists to recommend it to the poor dying consumptive, at least to try one bottle, as \$2.00 dozen bottles were sold last year, and no one case where it failed was reported. Such a medicine as the GERMAN SYRUP cannot be too widely known. Ask your druggist about it. Sample bottles to try, sold at 10 cents. Regular size, 75 cents. Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in the United States and Canada.

Kykendall's Photograph Gallery will be open up to noon only on Sundays.

A Contrast.

A gentleman who recently passed through the southern part of the State tells a woful tale of the effects of the drouth on the wheat crop. He says that vast tracts sown in wheat and barley in San Joaquin, Stanislaus, Merced, Fresno, Tulare, Kern and Los Angeles counties will be a total failure and that the whole country presents a desolate appearance except that portion subject to irrigation, and the horny-handed granger down that way looks sad and dejected. Contrast this picture with Sonoma county, where a failure of crops has never been recorded. On every hand there is promise of a large yield of cereals of all kinds, while the fruit crop will be something simply extraordinary, and as usual our farmers look happy and contented and thank their stars that their ranches are not in Southern California.

Contest of Will.

A petition for the revocation of the probate of the will of Franklin Bedwell, deceased, was filed in Department No. 1 of the Superior Court, Wednesday, by the following named relatives of the deceased: Sophronia Willford, Nancy Jane Bedwell, John Bedwell, Eliza Bedwell, Mary Davis, J. Lee Bedwell, Clara S. Hensley, Sarah Jane Gager, and Nancy Newman. It is set forth in the petition that the deceased at the time of the execution of the will was not of sound mind and judgment; that he was acting under the influence of spirit mediums, and Sarah Jane McMinn, wife of Joseph McMinn, to whom was bequeathed two-thirds of the estate, valued at \$35,000; that said Sarah Jane McMinn is not a relative of the deceased; that said Sarah Jane McMinn aided the spirit mediums in deluding the mind of the deceased. It is further set forth that said Sarah Jane McMinn was an inmate of the house of the deceased before and after his wife's death, and being the sole administrator to his wants and his constant attendant, gained undue influence over his mind; that she participated in several seances in which conversations were carried on between the spirit mediums and the spirit of the wife of the deceased, with relation to the disposal of his property.—Santa Rosa Democrat.

There is about \$150,000 in the County Treasury.

R. D. Moore of the Occidental keeps a first-class house.

Weyl's Cash Grocery Store is selling groceries at the very lowest rates. Call and be convinced.

Your last opportunity to get a fine photograph, as Kykendall's Gallery will remain in Sonoma for another week only.

Healdsburg has been chosen as the encampment of the Second Brigade, National Guard of California. The citizens of that place gave \$1600 for the privilege.

The Occidental Hotel, under the management of Mr. R. D. Moore and his estimable wife, is growing in popularity every day.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Cardinal Gibbons is in Dublin visiting Archbishop Walsh.

The New York Labor Party has begun making arrangements for the Fall campaign.

William H. Marcy, President of the Seaman's Saving Bank, died in New York City Wednesday.

A gentleman in the confidence of Lord Salisbury is negotiating with the Vatican in a semi-official capacity for the resumption of official relations between the Vatican and England.

The Haverhill, Massachusetts, Manufacturers' Association has conceded the demands of the employees, and forty shoe factories, employing three thousand men resumed work yesterday.

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepard, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received much benefit from Electric Bitters. I feel it my duty to let suffering humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years; my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at fifty cents a bottle, and Bucklen's Arnica Salve at 25c. per box by Ed. Wegner.

J. F. Cache, confined for some weeks past in the Santa Rosa Jail on charges of forgery, has been removed to the County Hospital. The prisoner's health is very poor and he will not be tried until he is discharged from that institution.

Good Results in Every Case.

D. A. Bradford, wholesale paper dealer of Chattanooga, Tenn., writes that he was seriously afflicted with a severe cold that settled on his lungs; had tried many remedies without benefit. Being induced to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, did so and was entirely cured by use of a few bottles. Since which time he has used it in his family for all Coughs and Colds with best results. This is the experience of thousands whose lives have been saved by this Wonderful Discovery. Trial bottles free at Wegner's Drug Store.

Samuel P. Putnam, the Liberal speaker, who recently lectured here, was assaulted in Ukiah by a crank—a young attorney of that place—who hurled a lighted coal-oil lamp at the lecturer's head, while he was engaged in addressing a highly respectable audience. The lamp missed its intended victim and passed through a window in the rear of the platform, out into the street, else a serious conflagration might have followed. Great excitement prevailed for a short time, but the lamp-wielder was forcibly ejected by an officer and quiet restored. The culprit, C. C. Hamilton, was arrested the following day and fined \$100.

The Effects of Mental Exhaustion.

Many diseases, especially those of the nervous system, are the products of daily renewed mental exhaustion. Business avocations often involve an amount of mental wear and tear very prejudicial to physical health, and the professions, if ardently pursued, are no less destructive to brain and nerve tissue. It is one of the most important attributes of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, that it compensates for this undue loss of tissue, and that it imparts new energy to the brain and nerves. The rapidity with which it renews weakened mental energy and physical vitality is remarkable, and shows that its invigorating properties are of the highest order. Besides increasing vital stamina, and counteracting the effects of mental exhaustion, this potential medicine cures and prevents fever and ague, rheumatism, chronic dyspepsia and constipation, kidney and uterine weakness and other complaints. Physicians also commend it as a medicated stimulant and remedy.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The best salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by E. Wegner.

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MRS. F. A. PAULI.
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